

1513 OFFICERS ARE ELIMINATED

Lack of Training, Education Disqualifies Many In National Guard.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—Within nine months after the national guard was drafted into federal service, 1513 of its officers had been eliminated. Brig. Gen. John W. Seavey, chief of the bureau of military affairs said in his annual report, made public today. These included one major general, 15 brigadiers and 42 colonels.

Causes of elimination of the officers are given as physical disability, 411; resignations, 418; action of efficiency boards, 25; desertions, 2. Included in the total under heading "action of efficiency boards," the report says, were 29 officers dismissed by court martial.

The large number of officers dropped can be satisfactorily explained, Gen. Seavey said, by the fact that only a small proportion had any military training, while a substantial proportion lacked the necessary basic education and physical qualification.

Nearly 400,000 Drafted.

The aggregate strength of the national guard drafted into federal service is given as 12,000 officers and 267,222 enlisted men.

"In justice to the organization," the report declared, "attention is called to the fact that 18 divisions, composed almost entirely of national guard troops, were furnished in the present emergency. All but three of these divisions are now (September 25) in France."

Casualties, Reported Wrong, Are Corrected

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—More corrections in previously reported casualties, announced Saturday, include:

Such in hospital, previously reported missing in action:

1st. Maximiliano Lopez, 1st div., N. M.

Returned to duty, previously reported missing:

1st. Chester R. Grove, 1st div., N. M.

1st. William E. Hanks, 1st div., N. M.

1st. R. H. Harding, 1st div., N. M.

1st. J. L. Lumb, 1st div., N. M.

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German Soldiers Ride While Their Superiors Walk

Munich Stores Cease Advertising They Are Purveyors to Royalty.

Munich, Bavaria, Dec. 2.—(Associated Press.)—Munich looks much less changed after four years of war than those who knew it would have been. The city appears far livelier and gay than two and a half or three years ago, when the correspondent visited it. Part of this impression is unquestionably due to the profusion of Bavarian-German flags everywhere, emphasized by the fact that the city is a fairly notable imitation of beer is served. It is in minor details that changes are most apparent at first glance. For instance, even many of the large restaurants and prominent hotels have paper napkins and paper tablecloths as well.

Stamp Licking Expensive.

Every postage stamp one likes has a strange value to it, and a cause of a shortage of something has led to the introduction of a substitute for the time-honored "lickum."

Many stores, however, formerly proudly displayed signs, proclaiming they were purveyors to Bavarian royalty, have erased the words, but the work generally has been done so ineffectually that the letters stare out from beneath coats of black paint. Bicycles, once long ago disappeared and have been replaced by cabs of steel.

The city has been as clean as ever and the stores as before although filled with articles, the prices of which have been unbelievable four years ago.

Food Plentiful, Expensive.

Food apparently is obtainable easily in restaurants, although expensive. The suffering seems to fall heavily on the poor people. Food now is plentiful, but the cost is high because the signing of the armistice brought out stocks which have been held in reserve. The people are perhaps paler than they were, but the street crowds appear to be warmly dressed and give no sign of suffering.

Beheading Is Resumed.

The capital of Bavaria, Munich, as in every other German city today, is the new status of the common soldier. He may frequently be seen riding in automobiles while officers walk. He never salutes his former superiors.

The city has resumed dancing, which has occasioned a terrific editorial outburst from a portion of the press. Former imperial chancellor von Hertling's organ, the Bavarian Courier, says:

"Our enemies usually the people of Munich with unexampled bitterness, by directing a tirade against those who are spending money because they are in their pockets, regardless of the time when they began."

It says that civilians are sacrificing the rationing intended for the army during the coming winter.

It adds that the last German retreat "lost most of the provisions of the line held by the army and that stores are now scanty. In spite of this, it says, the food allowance has been increased rather than decreased."

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McCAULEY IS ON WAY BACK HERE

Gets To Phoenix at 12:40 p.m.; Leaves At 1:37 p.m. For El Paso.

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Gun Command Approaches.

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The birdmen left the field at 10:30 Sunday morning at 8:30 o'clock and arrived in El Paso at 2:25, where after circling over the city, landed at Fort Bliss. Five minutes were spent in circling and setting a course, making the actual flight time 40 minutes.

A letter from the mayor of San Diego, Cal., to Mayor Charles Davis, was delivered by Maj. Smith upon his arrival here Sunday. The letter said: "I take pleasure in sending you the greetings of the people of San Diego, Cal., by the first letter ever delivered by aerial transportation between two of the best hunting young cities in America. Enclosed are their keys of this city and my own personal regards. Sincerely, 'L. J. Wild'."

The two keys had a picture of Camp Kearney on the handle, and the remainder of them bore the legends: "Business is good," "Ask the Mayor," and "Don't Knock, Come In."

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Maj. Smith's party consists of Maj. James H. McKee, flight surgeon; Lieut. James Evans, official photographer; Lieut. Robert Worthington, commander of aerial gunnery at Rockwell field; Lieut. Hubert D. McLean; Lieut. Albert Pole and two mechanics; Lieut. Lewis and Blanton, will be the first military aviators to cross the continent.

One accident so far has marred the flight. A machine piloted by Lieut. Bruce Johnson, became lost from the others on the start in a desert fog and landed at El Centro, Cal., instead of Calexico. Then in attempting to follow the instructions he received to join the party at the latter place his machine collided with a telephone pole, wrecking the plane to such an extent that he was obliged to return to San Diego.

C. E. Stratton, manager of the local telephone company, kept in touch with the flight of the aviators to El Paso Sunday, setting reports on the progress of their flight from the several telephone stations along the line.

The planes, which are scheduled to leave here for the east Tuesday morning, may take the air late today if the necessary repairs to them can be made in time. The aviators are anxious to continue their journey, which they have made so far in record time, and will therefore make their departure as soon as possible.

It was announced at the chamber of commerce later in the afternoon that the four planes would leave at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning for Washington, D. C., and, on leaving, make a

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